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BUCKS COUNTIANS WHO SEEK NOMINATION AT THE PRIMARY TO BE HELD TUESDAY, SEPT. 20

T. Hart Ross, Southampton, for Sheriff, and Henry S. Johnson, Richland Township, for County Treasurer, Have Strong Republican Support

DEMOCRAT SEEKS PLACE ON REPUBLICAN TICKET

On Tuesday, September 20, 1927, between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., standard time, will be held the primary election, at which candidates for county and municipal offices will be nominated. The political parties entitled to nominate candidates at the primary election are: Republican, Democratic, Labor and Prohibition. The Socialist party, for many years one of the political parties in the state, has lost its right for a place on the ballot. There are no candidates for county office on the Prohibition and Labor tickets.

In the Republican camp, interest is centered on the contest for the nomination for Sheriff and County Treasurer. There are three aspirants for the nomination for Sheriff and two for County Treasurer.

T. Hart Ross for Sheriff
T. Hart Ross, a well-known citizen, residing in Southampton township, is one of the candidates for Sheriff. Mr. Ross was born December 14, 1867 in Warwick township, where he received his education in the public schools and lived until 1892, when he moved to Southampton and engaged in farming for over thirty years. For many years he has been identified with the public affairs in his community; serving as School Director, Road Supervisor and Township Treasurer. He is now in the employ of the State Highway Department as road foreman, and as such his services have contributed largely to the improvements of the roads under his supervision.

Mr. Ross is a life long Republican and has always taken an active interest in the affairs of his party, serving as Republican committeeman in his district for the past twenty-five years, and has a wide acquaintance with active and influential Republicans of the county.

The opponents of Mr. Ross at the Primary Election are Frank Robinson, of Lower Makefield township, and John C. Valentine, of Northampton township. For the first time in the history of Bucks County politics, a Democratic office-holder is a candidate for nomination for a county office on the Republican ticket. Mr. Valentine was elected constable on the Democratic ticket in his township. He secured sufficient signers to his petition to get a place on the Republican Primary ballot, and now aspires for the Republican nomination for Sheriff.

Henry S. Johnson for Treasurer
Henry S. Johnson, one of the candidates for County Treasurer, is a descendant of an old Bucks County family, whose great-grandfather came to this county at an early date and settled in Upper Bucks County. He is the son of the late Richard M. and Mary Strawn Johnson, and was born in Richland township, Bucks County, February 13, 1872. He was educated in the schools in Richland and Quakertown and has been engaged in the occupation of farming all his life, living on the farm where he now resides in Richland township for twenty-eight years. He is actively identified with agricultural interests, being a charter member of the Richland Grange No. 1206 in which he has filled most of the offices and has been the secretary of Upper Bucks County Pomona, No. 50, for eighteen years.

Mr. Johnson is a staunch Republican, for many years taking an active interest in the affairs of the party in his community, and is now serving as the Republican committeeman in his district.

Mr. Johnson's opponent at the Primary Election is William H. Weamer, of Springfield township, who was twice honored by the voters of Bucks County as their representative in the Pennsylvania Legislature.

Messrs. Ross and Johnson have made an active personal canvass in many sections of the county and have received assurances of support in every community they have visited.

Ross and Johnson have the support of the Citizens' Primary Campaign Committee, comprised of active and influential Republicans, men and women from every election district in the county, who will throw their support and influence in behalf of these candidates.

Ross and Johnson represent the highest type of citizenship, integrity, capability and Republicanism and are deserving of the support of their fellow Republicans at the Primary Election.

The Republican candidates for the other county offices have no opposition. They are:

Recorder of Deeds, John W. Copper, Wrightstown township. Register of Wills, John W. Nace, Hilltown township.

Clerk of Orphans' Court, Calvin Tomlinson, Newtown borough.

Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Mulford L. Callanan, Bristol borough.

County Commissioners, William S. Schlichter, Sellersville borough and Ernest H. Harvey, the present incumbent, Langhorne borough.

Coroner, Dr. John J. Sweeney, Doylestown borough.

Ninth Annual Picnic To Be Held Tomorrow

Tomorrow the ninth annual picnic and outing of the Colored Republican League of Bucks County will take place at the Booker T. Washington Country Club, Buckingham.

A number of prominent speakers have been booked for the day, among them being candidates for various county offices.

The league is growing steadily, and a splendid interest has been manifested on the part of the members.

The officers are: W. H. Payne, president, Quakertown; J. W. Lewis, first vice-president, Morrisville; Charles H. Young, second vice-president, Bristol; Nelson Derry, third vice-president, Doylestown; Mrs. Sarah Roe, secretary, Bristol; L. H. Willhite, treasurer, Bristol; Mrs. Lillian Cooke, corresponding secretary, Bristol; Mrs. J. R. Mackenteir, assistant treasurer.

County advisors are: Mrs. Henry A. James, Doylestown; Hiram H. Keller, Doylestown; C. M. Meredith, Quakertown.

CARD PARTY GIVEN HERE WAS DECIDED SUCCESS

Affair Held for Benefit of The Easton Parish, Wednesday Evening

MANY FINE PRIZES

The card party given on Wednesday evening in the A. O. H. Hall by Mrs. Nellie I. McGee and Mrs. Neal McGee for the benefit of Rev. J. W. Herron's parish in Easton, was a financial success, the figures running very high in the amount of money received.

Table assignments were at \$3.00, there being 45 tables, at which "500" and pinocle were played.

The winners were: Door prize, basket of fruit, won by Miss Irene McGee, Trenton, N. J.; fern, Grace A. Herron, Chestnut Hill; bridge set, Miss Peg White, Lafayette street.

The following scores were made: 5810, Mrs. McCoy, Trenton, N. J.; 4150, Mrs. A. Cash, Trenton, N. J.; 4030, Mary Sackville; 3920, Mrs. E. H. McCurry; 3890, Mrs. C. Harkins; 3680, Mrs. R. McCurry; 3660, Mrs. George A. Hussey; 3480, Miss Hester Boyle; 3350, Miss Frances McFadden; 3190, J. W. McCoy; 3130, K. V. Brogan; 3060, Miss Mary Walsh; 2980, Mrs. Neal Mulligan; 2950, Mrs. T. J. Burns; 2890, Miss Angeline Riley; 2840, Miss Mary Brogan; 2800, Mrs. J. Hess; 2800, Mrs. H. Goldman; 2790, Mrs. E. Renk; 2770, Miss Mary Fox; 2770, Miss Marie Roche; 2770, Mrs. Neal McGinley; 2760, Mrs. J. Singer; 2750, Mrs. J. Manning, Trenton, N. J.; 2730, Mrs. C. Boltz; 2670, Mrs. J. A. McGinn; 2640, Mrs. E. Kelly; 2580, Mrs. Frank Nealis; 2570, Mrs. Joseph Duffy.

2560, Mrs. Helen Kelly; 2560, Mrs. C. Wildman; 2490, Mrs. E. Alpin; 2470, Mrs. H. R. Sassy; 2400, Miss Irene McGee, Trenton, N. J.; 2390, Mrs. C. M. Strobele; 2360, Warren Armstrong, Jr.; 2360, Jack Mulligan; 2350, Miss Margaret McIlvaine; 2350, Miss Marcella McCole; 2350, Miss Mary Doyle; 2250, Miss M. Gallagher; 2240, Miss H. Boyle; 2240, Mrs. M. Gilkeson; 2210, Mrs. J. Wollard; 2160, Miss Marie Gaffney; 2160, John A. McGinley; 2150, Miss Elizabeth McBrien; 2110, Miss Mary Strong; 2120, Mrs. James Ridge; 2100, Mrs. M. Rubin; 2140, Mrs. White; 2090, Mrs. McCafferty; 2080, Miss Catharine Strong; 2050, Miss Catharine Dugan; 2040, Mrs. A. Burke; 2040, Mrs. Alfred McLaughlin; 2020, Mrs. John Rodgers.

Pinocle games: 783, Miss Peg White; 758, Mrs. Charles Cullen; 725, Hugh J. Dugan; 741, Daniel J. McFadden; 743, Mrs. P. McGonigal; 710, Richard Blanche; 709, Edward Kribs; 689, Miss Mary McElroy; 684, Mrs. M. Staib.

The "booby prize" was the feature of the evening, consisting of a vegetable bouquet, won by Charles Dugan, better known as "Trotter," who was well applauded when his name was called by the judge.

Mrs. N. I. McGee and Mrs. Neal McGee devoutly wish to thank the public for their kindness in helping to make the affair a huge success, both socially and financially.

| Sheriff | |
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| (Vote for One) | |
| T. Hart Ross..... | X |
| Southampton Township | |
| John C. Valentine..... | |
| Northampton Township | |
| Frank Robinson..... | |
| Lower Makefield Township | |

| County Treasurer | |
|------------------------|---|
| (Vote for One) | |
| William H. Weamer..... | |
| Springfield Township | |
| Henry S. Johnson..... | X |
| Richland Township | |

Democratic Contest for Commissioner

The contest in the Democratic party is centered on the fight for nomination to the office of County Commissioner, there being no contest for nomination for the other offices. There are five candidates for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner, two to be nominated. They are: James S. Zuck, of Milford township; Edwin M. Yerkes, of Doylestown borough; David C. Voorhees, of Newtown borough; James P. Duffy, of Bristol borough, and Clarence E. Benner, of Quakertown borough.

Eddington Association Has Accomplished Much

The Eddington Improvement Association has been instrumental in bringing before the people of Bucks County much of interest in connection with historic Eddington, which lies a few miles to the south of Bristol.

It is known that the oldest existing club organization whose members speak the English language, is located there. This club was known years back just after being founded in 1732, as the "Colony in Schuylkill."

It was in 1782 that the name was changed to the "State in Schuylkill." The club is located along the Delaware River, and was organized with the love of fishing as its basis.

After its first location on the west bank of the Schuylkill River about a mile above the present dam, it continued there for 90 years. It was necessary for a move to be made further up the river when the dam was built.

At that place the "State" paid an annual ground rent of three fresh sun perch. The "State" later moved to the Falls of Schuylkill, where a fort was owned by a company of sportsmen, who were known as the "Society of Fort St. David's." Following the Revolution the society was merged in the "State in Schuylkill."

A new club headquarters or castle was erected in the year of 1812, and this is still in use. It was moved each time the club emigrated. About 1825 the colony moved to Gray's Ferry, and then in 1887 selected the Clock House at Eddington as its home. This is one of the oldest buildings along the historic Delaware.

It is constructed of brick which was imported from England. The building is a long affair two stories in height, with dormer windows in the attic.

The Clock House runs parallel with the river and the main entrance on the river side divides the house. Brickwork extends on either side of this door. The round window, which is above the entrance, resembles a clock, and this is the reason the place is known as the Clock House.

It is told that long ago boatmen on the river were warned of rocks on the shore by a light which was kept burning in the clock-like opening.

A fire-place found in the north room is of large dimensions, the width being about six feet. Old-fashioned andirons, cooking utensils, pewer plate may be seen arranged about the fire-place; and the mantle is prettily carved.

The grounds about the place are well tended to, and a cannon, a relic of the Revolutionary War, has been placed on the green.

Autographed Baseball Will Be Prize at Card Party

On the evening of September 28th, the Knights of Columbus will hold a card party in their home, Radcliffe and Mulberry streets.

Many useful prizes have been secured. Among the many is a baseball which has been presented by Connie Mack. The ball is autographed by every member of his team.

Cardinal Dougherty Will Confirm Children Here

Cardinal Dougherty will pay his first visit to Bristol on Sunday, October 2nd, at which time a number of children will be confirmed at St. Ann's Catholic Church.

The boys and girls must be at least seven years of age and attend classes of instruction at St. Ann's School each day after three p. m. The attendance upon the classes for instruction is necessary in order that the children may receive the rite of confirmation.

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BACK TO THE OLD BUGABOO

(EDITORIAL)

THE inevitable has happened. What we foresaw and predicted months ago has come to pass. The campaign of the so-called Independents has reached that stage which every Independent campaign in Bristol in recent years has reached, just about this many days prior to the Primary.

In other words, having been routed from every position they have taken, and with all their subterfuge "issues" so thoroughly exploded that what they now want most is that the public shall forget everything but their last-hour plea, the leaders of the Independent movement have abandoned their whole campaign as originally mapped out and have retreated to their usual and well-known last line of defense—their old gag about the nomination of regular Republicans meaning an increase in the tax rate.

At least it can be said, therefore, that the Smoyer Independents are performing according to habit, and just about on scheduled time.

Each campaign brings forth the same performance—a lot of almost thrilling "issues" to begin with; which under analysis, however, only serve to expose and confound their real political purposes; and then a panicky and undignified casting overboard of everything that was advanced as the pretended reasons for their activities, and precipitate retreat to the same old bugaboo.

And what is this warning about an increase in the tax rate? Utterly and absolutely without any justification whatever; and no one is more aware of that fact than the promoters of the falsehood. They know that there is no more warrant for the assertion today than there was two years ago, when the same outfit made the emphatic and unqualified statement that if the regular Republican ticket was nominated and elected, there would be a tremendous "tax grab" within a year.

How truthful were they? Everybody in Bristol knows that as a consequence of the equalized real estate assessment there was such a spread of the tax burden as made it fall more lightly than before upon those not largely endowed; and that as a result of this equalization, far from there being any increase in the tax rate, there was a larger revenue from a lesser rate, thus giving to the citizens of Bristol a greater return in municipal services and improvements than is had in any comparable community in Pennsylvania at the same tax cost.

The cry of tax increase and "tax grab" was a cheap political trick, wholly without warrant or justification two years ago, as events emphatically proved, and it is exactly the same thing today, as subsequent events will prove. We do not base that statement solely upon our own knowledge, but upon the authority of Borough Council, which has never indulged in the pastime of trying to hoodwink the people; and upon the honor and integrity of the Burgess, whose clear and emphatic word likewise has been given to the electorate upon the subject.

As a matter of fact, there is something almost idiotic about the argument that the Borough Government, as now constituted, either desires or would promote any increase in tax rate, when the largest taxpayer in the Borough is a member of Council, and others in the Borough Government are among our heaviest contributors.

As for there being any increase in tax rate as a consequence of the consolidation of the volunteer fire defense system in a centrally located station as required by the insurance companies, and provided for by the ordinance of Council last Fall, the facts are exactly the reverse and wholly controvert the absolutely false statements that are being put into circulation at the conclusion of this campaign by the so-called Independents.

What are the facts? They are these; they are of record; and they cannot be successfully disputed by anyone:

1. The existing companies precipitated the whole fire defense investigation, and eventual solution, by demanding that the Borough—the taxpayers—henceforth assume the entire burden of equipping and maintaining all five companies. This demand was reiterated in specific sums and terms in the so-called Leedom Field Resolutions, which conceded that the immediate demands or requirements would cost the taxpayers \$15,000, or twice the sum of what the total annual Borough appropriation for fire defense purposes had been for a period of years.
2. During the course of its long investigation of the subject, the Fire Committee of Borough Council asked every comparable community in the State that had a volunteer fire defense system with paid drivers, to give the Committee its data covering costs, annual appropriations, etc. In rendering its final report to Borough Council, the Committee presented a table containing all of this data for all of the towns comparable with Bristol in area, population, etc., which were twenty-one in number, ranging in population from 8,000 to 15,000. Two of these towns—Carlisle and Chambersburg, presented the exact situation that would have prevailed in Bristol if the Borough had undertaken the support of the five companies, with a paid man in each to meet the requirements of the insurance companies—and in each instance the cost was \$15,000 a year, or double Bristol's present expenditure for fire defense.
3. Upon the basis of its entire investigation, covering a period of many months and embracing every possible source of information, the Fire Committee stated emphatically and unqualifiedly in its report that adoption of its recommendations would under no circumstance entail a greater expenditure annually for the fire defense than had been appropriated for 1926, namely, \$7,500.
4. The existing companies having definitely declared that they would contribute neither buildings nor apparatus to the consolidation provided for by the ordinance of Council, Mr. Grundy offered the Borough outright a new Municipal Building which will house all Borough activities, including the consolidated volunteer department; and in addition offered the apparatus for the latter, at a rental of one dollar per year, under the terms of the ordinance of Council.
5. It is as clear as it is irrefutable, therefore, that far from the consolidation of the volunteer system imposing any additional burden upon the taxpayers, as the Independents are desperately asking the voters to believe, it insures them against any increased tax burden for fire defense work, whereas the demands of the five existing companies would have doubled the present expenditure, which would amount to an increase of one mill in the tax rate.

How, in the face of these facts, the Smoyer clique can have the hardihood to ask the Republican voters to believe that the carrying out of the consolidation ordinance would bring about an increase in the tax rate, when the final action of Council was primarily to avoid the

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DRUNKEN DRIVERS ARE GIVEN PRISON SENTENCE AND FINE

Two of Four Charged With Driving While Intoxicated Are Acquitted

JAIL TERM FOR MITCH

Cases Are Tried in Courts 1 And 2 at County Seat

(Special to Courier)
DOYLESTOWN, Sept. 16.—Four more drunken drivers were arraigned in criminal court yesterday before Judge Samuel E. Shull in Court No. 2. Two of the defendants were acquitted and the others were fined and sent to prison.

Frank Costella, a truck driver, of 2404 Pine street, Philadelphia, who came to Hulmeville on a joy-ride party on Sunday, July 29, where he was arrested by Highway Patrolman Fred W. Augustine after Chief Burgess Samuel J. Illick had seen him driving the truck, was found guilty yesterday by a jury of driving the truck while drunk. Judge Shull sentenced Costella to a fine of \$200 and costs and four months in the county prison.

Chief Burgess Illick described Costella as very abusive. Patrolman Augustine said the man staggered, his eyes were bloodshot and his speech was thick. Dr. Samuel L. Ridge, of Langhorne, who examined Costella, testified that the man decidedly showed the effects of liquor.

Costella's defense was that he was not driving the truck, that he came from Philadelphia with other fellows on a drunken party, and admitted that he was intoxicated. Costella said that he fell asleep and woke up at Hulmeville but that he never drove the car that day.

Thomas Roger, of 2704 Waverly street, Philadelphia, testified for the defense that he was the man who drove the truck and that he was the only sober one in the party.

The defendant was represented by John Kilcoyne, of Bristol, and the prosecution was conducted by Robert H. Grim, of Perkasie, for the District Attorney.

Spiller Was Acquitted

LeRoy Spiller, aged 24, of Phillipsburg, N. J., who was arrested for driving while drunk on the Lackawanna Trail near Pipersville on the evening of August 29, was acquitted yesterday in Court No. 2 before Judge Shull, but the jury placed the costs on him.

Spiller lives at 104 Broad street, Phillipsburg, and was accompanied the night of his arrest, by Miss Hilda Ackerman, of 16 North Twenty-first street, Easton. The defendant was represented in the trial by Francis Walters, a member of the Northampton County Bar.

Highway Patrolman C. J. Walker, of the Edison sub-station of State Police, arrested Spiller on the Pipersville hill. He testified that he was stationed at the foot of the hill when the Spiller car passed. He said that he flashed his light for Spiller to stop and that he saw the defendant driving the car. The car was brought to a stop part way up the hill. The officer said that he smelled liquor on the man when he caught up to the car and saw that he was intoxicated. He said that Spiller was very indignant and insulting at times.

Dr. John J. Sweeney, of Doylestown, who examined Spiller after the arrest, described his condition as "being drunk."

Spiller's defense was that his lady friend was driving the car, that he himself was somewhat under the influence of liquor, and that he never drove the car from the time they left Easton for a ride.

"On the night of August 29, I went to Miss Ackerman's place of employment at Twelfth and Northampton streets to ask her to go for a ride with me," testified Spiller. "Previous to going there I was at a friend's house and had several drinks. When I called for Miss Ackerman later, she took the wheel and we started down the Easton highway. I did not see any officer flash a light at the foot of Pipersville hill. The motor got hot going up the hill and that is why Miss Ackerman stopped the car."

The defense then called Miss Ackerman for the defense. She said that she drove the car all of the time and that Spiller was not driving. She said that no officer flashing a light was noticeable at the foot of Pipersville hill.

"Patrolman Walker came up to our car," continued Miss Ackerman, "took a look at Spiller and said 'you are intoxicated' and then took him to Doylestown to be examined. I could tell that Spiller had been drinking when we started away from Easton, but he was not drunk and he did not drive that night."

In addressing the jury, Attorney Walters, of Easton, argued to the jury that he would not charge Patrolman Walker with committing perjury in this case, for he knew him to be an efficient officer, but that Patrolman Walker was mistaken in his identity of the driver of that car as it passed him at the foot of Pipersville hill.

Butler Also Acquitted

Harry Butler, of Philadelphia, was arraigned in Court No. 2 yesterday before Judge Shull and was acquitted of (Continued on Page Four)

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HUMAN BODY OF THE FUTURE

The opinion of Professor Elliott Smith, head of the department of anatomy at London University, that modern civilization is producing no physical change in man and that the human body of the future will be about the same as it is today is in sharp contrast with what some men of science have said on the subject and on the whole will be welcomed. It has been imagined that the human beings of the future will be creatures of that kind. Man will use his muscles less and less and his brains more and more—that is the promise on which the fanciful portrait of the human being of the future is based. The muscles, no longer used, will become atrophied and finally disappear. It has been suggested that, in view of the modern penchant for riding instead of walking, the legs of a hundred generations hence will not be nearly so sturdy as those of this age.

It is easy to present a plausible argument for the thesis that man is changing. Scientists say we retain vestiges of parts of the body that have disappeared through lack of use or of necessity and it seems reasonable to suppose that other parts may vanish through not being exercised or not being required. The teeth, for instance. There has been a steady drift in the direction of eating soft food that does not call for much chewing. May that not reach a point at which no chewing at all will be required? And if so, will teeth not gradually disappear? The weak point in the argument is the assumption that changes in our habits will be carried to the extreme indicated. Does anyone seriously suppose that the time ever will come when people will stop walking or feed exclusively on pap? It is not a pleasant prospect and the human beings of the future are likely still to retain enough of their animal nature to disdain the idea of being puny, even though life should be possible without much physical effort of any sort.

GREED THE LURE

Immediate success of legislation like the New York Baumes' law and police campaigns against bank bandits gives hope that in time an end will be put to burglary, hold-ups and banditry, but neither law nor police vigilance can restrain the power of the swindler over human greed.

Even in this sophisticated and worldly-wise age a confidence man has sold to a New York restaurant man a machine for converting \$1 bills into \$50 bills by a simple twist of the crank. The "inventor" needed \$4000 or he would not have "sacrificed" his miraculous device for only \$4000.

How people who have had the industry and acumen to make money in business can be flimflammed by devices of this kind, in a time when newspapers are constantly exposing get-rich-quick swindles, is hard for the casual observer to understand.

The easiest "con" victims are the farmer who buys "green goods" thinking he can pass them off on somebody else and the hard-boiled townsman who buys mining stock from the "friendly" salesman who whispers that he can unload at great profit in a few days when the "suckers" begin buying.

Human gullibility is disheartening but it is cheering to know that the swindler himself invariably comes to grief. For no one is so quick to run to the police with the story of his troubles as the man who hoped to get something for nothing, dishonestly if necessary, and discovers that he has been made a dupe.

News of Nearby Towns

Edgely

Mrs. Marshall Milnor, of Germantown, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Lively, of Grieb avenue, Edgely, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds and children and Mrs. Anna Kerr and daughter Letitia, of Grieb avenue, Edgely, spent the week-end in Reading.

George Leonard, who has been spending the summer months with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dunbar, of Woodside avenue, has returned to his home in Philadelphia.

Luncheon guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvard Himelright, of Edgely avenue, on Monday were Mr. J. P. Feldman, Mrs. H. H. Wade and daughter, Marie, of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schoenfeld, of Radcliffe street, were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Banes, of Radcliffe street, at their summer cottage at Surf City, N. J.

Joseph Werner, of Virginia, formerly of Edgely, has been an Edgely visitor for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Rue, of Radcliffe street, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Morgan and daughter, Dorothy, of Hightstown, N. J., week-ended in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorrance Booz, and family, of Tacony, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Garretson, of Edgely avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Himelright, of Edgely avenue, entertained at dinner on Sunday, Samuel Britton and Miss Ella Britton, Charles Phillip, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Lee, and the Misses Lydia and Mary Lee, Clarence and Harvard Himelright Lee, of Ft. Pleasant, N. J.

Mrs. Walter Garretson and Mrs. Harvard Himelright, of Edgely, spent Thursday in Atlantic City, viewing the beauty pageant.

Miss Margaret Amole, a nurse in the St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Amole, of Edgely avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wright and family, of Chester, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garretson, of Woodside avenue.

Mrs. Clinton Smith, of Woodside avenue, is the owner of a new Chevrolet coach.

Herman Leinheiser, of Radcliffe street, has purchased a new Chevrolet automobile.

NEWPORTVILLE

The elderly Mrs. Smith is still quite ill and is staying with relatives in Hulmeville.

Carmon Fleckenstien is going to a medical college on Saturday the 17th. Miss Naomi Pickard is staying with friends in Virginia for a few weeks.

Miss Dorothy Ingraham spent the afternoon in Flushing with Miss Mary Thompson.

Parkland

H. H. Winter and family have returned to their city home after spending the season here with Mrs. Winter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Earhardt, of Highland avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Kenning, who has charge of the Children's Aid Society

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at Towanda, Pa., is now enjoying her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kenning, at Witte-water, their picturesque summer cottage at the brook.

August Dimpster and family have returned to their Philadelphia home, after spending the summer at L. G. Lines' cottage on Poplar street.

The garage of Andrew Erhardt looks very neat and attractive in its new dress of pure white paint with green trim, and is in harmony with his summer cottage.

On Monday evening the Parkland Girl Scouts journeyed to Langhorne to join the Scouts at that place. Their names will be given later.

The Taylor family, of Miami, Fla., who have this summer been occupying part of Mrs. Ida McCarter's cottage,

on Highland avenue, enjoyed Sunday and Monday with friends in Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. Lella C. Greenlee and granddaughter, Joanne, are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Joseph Hibbert, in Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. Ida Stuard and daughter, Mrs. Ida McCarter, recently visited friends at Newark.

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LOCALS

EVENTS FOR TONIGHT

Meeting of Bristol Division No. 107, Sons of Temperance.
Meeting of Bristol Council No. 58, Daughters of America.
Meeting of Sixth Ward Club.
Meeting of Croydon Building Association.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Woodruff, of 235 Madison street entertained over Saturday and Sunday, Mrs. Woodruff's father, Mr. John Applegate, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. George Silbert, of Radcliffe street, spent last week in Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Petty, of 241 Radcliffe street, spent the week-end in Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. Minerva Epstein and Mrs. Thomas Kelly, of Madison street, were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tomason, of Buckingham, Pa.

—Miss Mary Skehan, of Jefferson avenue, has been ill at her home for the last week.

—Mrs. Robert Plum and daughter, Doris, of 243 Jackson street, have returned to their home from a month's stay in New York, where they visited relatives.

—Mr. Cedric Jarvis, of Philadelphia, week-ended at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Jarvis, of Radcliffe street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGinley, of 629 Pine street, are rejoicing over the birth of a son last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. William McColliek, of New Buckle street; Mrs. William Cochran, of Lock No. 4, and Mrs. Howard Fennimore and children, of Wood street, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Weingartner, of Lansdale, Pa.

—Among the pageant spectators at Atlantic City, N. J., last week were Mrs. A. B. Popkin, Mrs. Harry Straus, Mrs. M. L. Hess, Mrs. H. Goldman, Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen and son, Harry, Jr., Miss Anna McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton Minster, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Evans and Miss Frances Dougherty.

—On Saturday evening a miscellaneous shower was tendered Miss Elizabeth Griffiths, of Philadelphia, at the home of Miss Gladys Renk, of 1322 Pond street. The guest of honor was presented with many lovely gifts and dinner was served to the Misses Elizabeth and Mattie Griffiths, Charlotte Walton, Cornelia Craven, Helen Adams, Edna Bell, Pearl Smith and Alice Frost, Mrs. Paul I. Lenhart and Mrs. K. MacIlhany, all of Philadelphia.

—Mr. T. G. Argust, of 211 Washington street, left on Monday to spend a week's vacation in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., visiting relatives and friends and also in Nesquehoning, Pa., visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Johns. Mr. Argust will return to his home next Sunday bringing with him his wife who has been spending two weeks in that section.

—On Friday evening, Mrs. Rhoda Walters and Mrs. Wesley Bunting, of Wood street; Mrs. Carrie Jenks, of Jefferson avenue; Mrs. Raymond Nev-

egold, of Monroe street; Miss Ida Miller, of Washington street, and Mrs. Harry White, of Lafayette street, witnessed a performance of "Artists and Models" at the Chestnut Street Opera House, Philadelphia, and had midnight supper at the Cathay.

—Mrs. J. E. W. Tracy and family, of Radcliffe street, have returned to their home from a lengthy vacation spent in Vermont.

—Dr. and Mrs. Edward J. Laing, of Newportville Road, had as guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt, of Frankford.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Phillips Landreth and family, of Pine Grove, have returned from a fortnight's stay at Marblehead, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hendricks and family have returned to 611 Cedar street, from a summer spent at Camp Dock, along the Delaware.

—Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler White and children, of Lafayette street, were guests of relatives in Bound Brook, N. J., on Sunday.

—Mrs. David Harrison, formerly of Trenton, N. J., is making her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Ardrey, of Radcliffe street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Petty, of 241 Radcliffe street, spent the week-end at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mr. George Silbert, of Radcliffe street, spent last week at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Harkins, of Buckley street, spent several days last week in Atlantic City, N. J.

—The Misses Marion Harrison, of Radcliffe street, and Florence Peirce, of Mulberry street, were guests over Saturday and Sunday of friends in Chester, Pa.

—Miss Anna May Miller, of Mill street, has returned to her home from a vacation spent at Ocean City, N. J. —Rev. and Mrs. Hubbell, who have been occupying the home of Miss Julia Slack, of Pine Grove, have left for West Philadelphia, where they have taken an apartment for the winter.

—Mrs. A. R. Griggs, of Trenton, N. J., has returned to her home, following a ten day's visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cochran, of 348 Harrison street.

—Mrs. Lucy Newlove, of Wilmington, Del., and West Philadelphia, was a guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plum, of Otter street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Leedom, of 254 Radcliffe street, and their granddaughter, Miss Charlotte Cadwallader, of Yardley, Pa., accompanied by Mrs. Elmer Fellowes, of 252 Radcliffe street, spent the week-end in Atlantic City, N. J. They were registered at the St. Charles Hotel.

—Mrs. Joseph Peirce, of Mulberry street, spent Saturday and Sunday in Beverly, N. J., visiting relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Cohen, of Philadelphia, were Saturday and Sunday guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lohr, of 321 Hayes street.

Parkland

Adam Bamback is adding a new kitchen to his cottage on Avenue B. William Staub and family have returned to their city home, after enjoying the summer at their bungalow on Avenue C.

Henry Reiser has sold his cozy little cottage on Avenue B to Wellington Kremp, of Philadelphia, who on Monday took possession and moved his family and furniture therein, where they will make their permanent home.

Mrs. Annie Lippen this week has for her guests Mrs. Charles Risdon and Miss Anna Wilkinson, of Collingswood, N. J. She also recently entertained her granddaughter, Miss Edith Hagerman and Mrs. Katherine Shober, of near Willow Grove.

Mrs. Joseph Kleinhaus, of Philadelphia, is enjoying this week here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker, of Avenue C.

Mrs. Walter S. Miller and youngest son have returned home from a visit to Lori City, Ohio, where they spent two pleasant weeks with their uncle, Andrew Shegog.

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MARY V. SWEENEY,
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COLLEGIATE SWEATER—Light blue with gold stripe, between creek bridge, Pond street, and Spencer's drug store, Jefferson avenue and Pond street, between 9 o'clock and 9:30 last evening. Return to 808 Jefferson avenue, Bristol. 9-15-2t

GREEN CANOE from wharf of Stamford R. Runyon. Missing since Friday or Saturday evenings. Reward if returned to Dr. Joseph deB. Abbott, Jefferson avenue and Radcliffe street. 9-15-3t

SMALL BLUE PURSE, containing money, tax receipt, etc., somewhere on Mill street, Thursday. Return to 1910 Trenton avenue. 9-16-2t

POLITICAL

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NOTICE

Croydon, Pa.,
Sept. 15, 1927.
The Bristol Courier.

Gentlemen:
It has come to my notice this week, that one person at Croydon has openly made certain accusations regarding my character and conduct, all of which statements are untrue and slanderous. I take the liberty in writing this open letter calling upon any person who has accused me of misconduct of any kind to come forward and prove the same or to make a public retraction of all such statements through the medium of your paper.

Unless this is done I shall take all necessary steps to require proof of the unfair and slanderous statements so made.

I am sending this letter to the Bristol Courier and the Bucks County Independent and request that these papers shall publish the same in their paper. I am a candidate for the office of Constable in Bristol Township and wish to be fair and just to all other candidates for any office within the Township, but my own candidacy is seriously affected, and work and assistance I might be able to give to other candidates is handicapped by the malicious and unwarranted allegations of a few people who are absolutely unable to prove or maintain one of their statements.

Yours truly,
H. RAYMOND SATTLER.
X—9-15-4t

NOTICE

Pennsylvania Department of Highways, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Sealed proposals will be received at the State Capitol until 10 a. m., September 23, 1927, when bids will be publicly opened and scheduled and contract awarded as soon thereafter as possible for the reconstruction of 1,799 linear feet of One Course Reinforced Cement Concrete pavement, 21 to 34 feet wide, being situated in Sellersville Borough, Bucks County, Route 153.

Bidding blanks and specifications may be obtained free, construction drawings upon payment of \$2.50 a set and cross section drawings upon payment of \$5.00 a set, upon application to Pennsylvania Department of Highways, Harrisburg. No refund for drawings returned. They can be seen at office of Pennsylvania Department of Highways, Harrisburg; Borton Building, 69th and Market Streets, Philadelphia; 318-320 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh; and Woolworth Building, 21-27 North Queen Street, Lancaster, Pennsylvania. James L. Stuart, Secretary of Highways.

P—9-2, 9, 16

NOTICE

I hereby authorize my wife, Mary T. Rousseau to contract bills in my name.
WILLIAM T. ROUSSEAU.
V—9-15-3t

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GASOLINE FILLING STATION, at Croydon, right on highway, facing railroad station. Has restaurant and grocery store attached. The price is very reasonable as it must be sold at once. Charles La Polla, 214 Market street. Phone 176-W. 9-14-4t

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Cash Prices: \$30.00 and \$39.50

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BACK TO THE OLD BUGABOO

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increase in tax rate which the demands of the existing companies would have made unavoidable, is something that we cannot understand. It can only be accounted for on the score of political desperation.

Let us quote Burgess Anderson, in his recent letter to the citizens:

"Nobody desired to disturb the five existent companies—certainly nobody made any effort to do so—under a continuation of their original practice of equipment and maintenance by self-support, public subscription and a modest annual contribution by the Borough. It was the complete change of attitude upon the part of the five companies; their demand that the Borough purchase and maintain all new apparatus and make all repairs, as put definitely into the record of the case by the Leedom Field proclamation of August, 1926; and the absolute refusal of the companies to recede or compromise, that left Borough Council no alternative but to seek the best knowledge and experience that might help to a successful solution of the problem which the volunteer companies themselves had created . . .

"I put my integrity as Chief Burgess, my repute as a citizen, and my standing as a business man, behind the statement that Borough Council and the Burgess could have found no warrant or justification whatever for acceding to the demands of the various companies, which action the volunteer firemen themselves well knew would have been equivalent to committing the Borough to the complete equipment, maintenance and support thenceforth not only of the five companies then existent, but of a sixth as well, which we all know was being projected and would have been formed almost immediately, had Borough Council and the Burgess committed the citizenship to any such policy.

"The firemen themselves do not deny either the nature of their demands or the commitments that they carried . . ."

Of course, in view of the foregoing and all of the other facts that have been developed in this campaign, it is not difficult to see why the Independents have had to back-track, misrepresent, stultify and distort. Upon the other hand, it is not so easy to see how they expected to make any headway with an intelligent citizenship by attempting a deliberate misrepresentation about a tax increase which all the facts refute, and to definitely avert which tax increase the ordinance of last November was adopted.

In which group will the citizens of Bristol express their faith and confidence next Tuesday? In those who rest their case upon truth and facts, or those who rely upon misrepresentation? In those who constitute the present Borough Government in all its branches, with their unchallenged record of constructive achievement in the interest of the entire citizenship, or those who are obstructionists and pull-backs, seeking only their own political advantage?

These are mighty important questions, and each citizen, as he or she answers them for himself or herself, should not be misled by sentiment or prejudice, but should be courageously guided by plain sound sense.

Hulmeville

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cox and daughter, Miss Harriet Cox, of Main street, spent a day recently in New York, making the trip to and from the metropolis via bus.

Mrs. Thomas Dougherty, formerly Miss Margaret Ogan, was bitten by a mad dog near her home in Philadelphia on Wednesday. Mrs. Dougherty at one time lived in Hulmeville and is a sister of Miss Marie Hanson. She received treatment in a Philadelphia hospital.

The baseball team, composed of younger boys of the town, was defeated last evening by a nine composed of married men. The score was 10 to 9.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Haefner left to

Drunken Drivers Receive Prinson Sentence and Fine

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a charge of operating an automobile while drunk on the Lackawanna Trail, near Revere, on July 2. Judge Shull directed that the jury acquit the defendant and put the costs on the county.

Judge Shull, after listening to the testimony of the Commonwealth, remarked to the jury that decisions of the Supreme Court were that the smell of liquor on a person's breath is not sufficient evidence to convict on a charge of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

Patrolman Martin E. Desher, of the Edison sub-station of Highway Patrol, prosecutor in the case, testified that he found Butler lying on the ground near an accident that he had been called to investigate. The officer said he took the defendant to the Easton Hospital and could smell liquor on his breath. He said he did not see the defendant before the accident.

Dr. Harry E. McCormick, of Easton, said that he saw Butler two hours after the accident, at the hospital and that the man was badly injured, was boisterous and had the smell of alcohol on his breath. The doctor said that he thought the man was intoxicated but that he made no examination as to his sobriety.

Harry E. Grim, of Perkaskie, who was appointed to defend Butler, at this time moved that the Court instruct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty, and motion was allowed.

3 Months In Prison

Three months in the Bucks County Prison and a fine of \$200 and costs was the sentence imposed upon John Stickels, of Philadelphia, by Judge Shull in Court No. 2 yesterday after the defendant had pleaded guilty to operating his automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

Stickels testified that he had two drinks of beer at Bethayres, some more liquor at Croydon and admitted that he was "highly intoxicated." H. Lincoln Hughes, police officer of Bensalem township, testified that he had to fire several bullets into Stickels' automobile and shove a "gun" under his nose before he could get the man to stop the car. He was so drunk that it was necessary to carry him from his car to the Bristol station.

"I lost my memory from drinking beer and whiskey, I'll admit," testified Stickels. "I did not know a thing until the morning after when I woke up in the Bristol police station."

In pronouncing sentence, Judge Shull reminded the defendant that he was very fortunate that he was not in court for having killed some one during his drunken ride through the country.

Malevolent Mischief Charged

Paul Kulschar, of Springfield township, went on trial in Court No. 2 yesterday before Judge Shull, charged by his neighbor, Alex. Legat, with

malicious mischief. The Commonwealth charges that Kulschar polluted a stream of water that runs from a spring on the Kulschar property across to the Legat place. Legat testified that Kulschar to spite him, turns his pigs loose in the stream, together with the cows and other animals. He also charged the defendant with sending his children, five at a time, into the stream to stir up the mud, and on one occasion cut off the water entirely. Legat testified that the stream flowed through his place when he purchased it and that he needs the water on his farm.

Mitch Got 6 Months

Edward Mitch, of Hulmeville, was convicted in Court No. 2 yesterday before Judge Shull on a charge of assault and battery brought by his wife, Mrs. Ida B. Mitch. Judge Shull sentenced Mitch to pay a fine of \$5 and costs and serve six months in the Bucks County Prison.

Mrs. Mitch testified that her husband struck her across the eye and left a bad scar following an argument at the Mitch home on June 11. She said that her husband was mad because her daughter had given her some of her payroll and the father did not get it.

In defense, Mitch, said that he came home and found nothing to eat on June 11 and that his wife went into another room, started to break up a radio set and grabbed a large battery and threw it at him. In self-defense, he said, he pushed his wife away.

In pronouncing sentence, Judge Shull said: "The proposition of insulting a woman does not appeal to this Court."

The grand jury yesterday returned true bills against seven Philadelphians, Charles Zimmerman, William Baker, Richard Harrington, John Calhoun, Charles F. Burke, Walter Pisel and Edward Shepherd, all charged with carrying concealed deadly weapons. They were arrested in Bristol on Labor Day following a parade of the Ku Klux Klan in that borough. The cases are listed for trial some time today.

TWILIGHT CHAMPIONS DIVIDE GAMES' RECEIPTS

Hulmeville Has Been Challenged to Play Series Of Games

BOOK GAME FOR SAT.

The receipts of the two championship games played by the Bristol Field Club and the Keystone Aircraft team were divided at the office of the president recently with representatives of the two teams present and the league officials.

Receipts were as follows:
First game, \$87.21; second game, \$53.52.

Expenses—Advertising, \$9; tickets, \$9, and umpires, \$16.

Balance—\$106.73, divided 60% to Field Club, \$64.03, and 40% to Keystone, \$42.70.

The Bristol Field Club, champions of the Twilight League, will play Hulmeville, champions of the Tri-County Twilight League, a series of three games. First game will be played at Hulmeville, Saturday, September 24th.

The Bristol Field Club will play a team picked from the Twilight League this Saturday under John Mulholland. The receipts will go to the Twilight League.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. F. O'Connor, of Harrison street, are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, September 8th. The little one has been named Rosemary.

HOLD MEETING

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church held a business meeting on Monday evening. After the meeting was over a social was held in the social hall of the church at which time Miss Helen Appleton was pleasantly surprised and showered with gifts, it being her birthday anniversary. Various games were played and refreshments enjoyed at a late hour.

Parkland

After spending last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brenner, of Avenue C. Earl Brenner has returned to Cleveland, Ohio, to take up his position with the Title and Trust Company. The Brennens also recently entertained their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, of Philadelphia.

Gible Los Angeles passed directly over Last Saturday afternoon the driest Parkland. Robed in its silvery sheen it was greatly admired by many of our people, who watched it glide so majestically and smoothly through the air, just above the tree tops. On Sunday the Kraus family and Mr. and Mrs. A. Beidler motored to Lakehurst, N. J., where they saw the Los Angeles in its hangar, and spent a very interesting time inspecting all its parts.

TAMAQUA, Pa., Sept. 16 (I.N.S.)—Tamaqua looks forward to a prosperous season in this district of the anthracite coal region.

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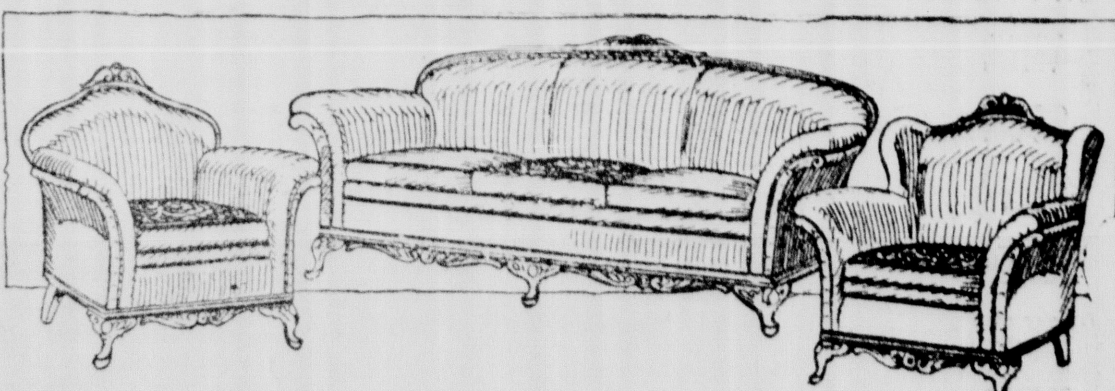
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